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In re application of:

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Serial No.: 10/003,005

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Filing Date: November 14, 2001

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONFIGURING OPTICAL CIRCUITS

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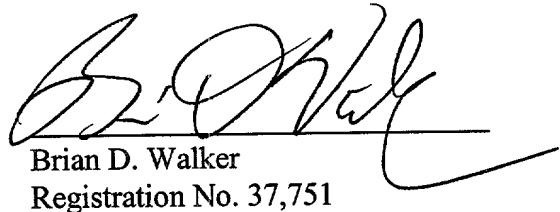
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed by the Initial Patent Examination Division on December 28, 2001, please find enclosed a Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by the inventors and Four (4) Sheets of Drawings (Figs. 1-7).

A check in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed for the surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).

It is respectfully submitted that no additional parts are required to be filed with regard to the above-referenced application, and the application should therefore be processed accordingly.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - more than one figure is present and each figure is not labeled "Fig." with a consecutive Arabic numeral (1, 2, etc.) or an Arabic numeral and capital letter in the English alphabet (A, B, etc.)(see 37 CFR 1.84(u)(1));

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted for filing with the Patent and Trademark Office are the following documents for the above-referenced patent application:

1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
2. Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (executed);
4. Four (4) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-7);
5. Assignment (executed) and Assignment Cover Sheet;
6. A check in the amount of \$65.00 for Notice to File Missing Parts Surcharge;
7. Two checks in the amount of \$40.00 each for Assignment Recordation fee; and
8. Acknowledgment postcard.

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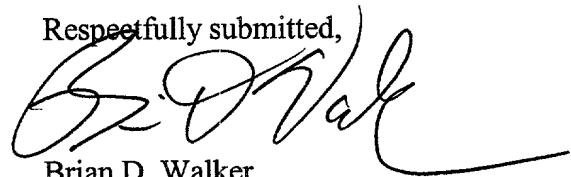
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